URSULA FRAYNE CATHOLIC COLLEGE

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SCHOOL PHOTOS
BALMORAL CAMPUS

Monday 17 May and Tuesday 18 May

Students in Years 1-6 are to wear their Winter uniform with the Red Jumper.

Kindy to wear their Green shirt and Pre-Primary the Sports uniform .

The photo schedule will be released once finalised.

Late this week the order forms were sent home via your child. Please note that you only need to return the envelope on photo day if you are paying by cash. If ordering online or not at all, you do not need to return the envelope.

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From the Principal

Dear Parents, Students and Friends of Ursula Frayne Catholic College,

Happy Mother's Day to all the mothers in the Frayne Family who are the heartbeat of the home, that unifying pulse that has never been more important.

This Sunday we celebrate Mother's Day. Importantly, this day provides us with an opportunity to say 'thank you' to our mothers and to honour that person we call "mum" for being that special person in our lives who sticks with us through thick and thin. My best wishes to all for a Happy Mother's Day.

JUSTICE - FAIRNESS AND LOVE (Part 2)

Fairness means other people

It usually takes two people to be fair. It is all about relationships. If a tree falls on us when we are camping, we might think it is bad luck. But we don't say it is unfair unless we can find someone to blame. We might say that it was unfair of the camp leader to put us in that tent. Or that it was unfair of God to let it happen to me, because I had said my prayers and was a good person.

Usually when we complain of unfairness, we don't have to look around for people to blame. Our parents are unfair because they won't buy us the treats we want. Our teachers are unfair because they keep us in after class for bad behaviour but let others off. The petrol companies are unfair because they charge us more at the weekends and public holidays. The government is unfair because it looks after its rich mates but keeps piling taxes on little people like us.

From the Principal cont...

Fairness has to do with what we owe one another in our relationships. We deserve respect from others. But respect cuts both ways. If we expect other people to be fair to us, we must be fair to them.

When we are young, we think fairness is one sided. It is all about other people respecting me, giving me what I feel entitled to, letting me do what I want. When I can't get my way, I think it is unfair. As we grow older, we think more of other people. We become embarrassed if a teacher treats us as special because we see it as unfair to other students. We begin to see that our parents are not just ATMs that give out money on demand: they have wider responsibilities to us and to other people.

Fairness means community

Fairness is broader than the relationship between one person and another. Our personal relationships are never totally separate from one another. In my family, my relationship with my mother is part of a series of interlocking relationships – between my mother and father, me and my siblings, between parents and their friends and workmates, between my school friends and their teachers. And so, it goes on. When we relate to one person, we bring into play the relationship between all people in our lives.

To see what fairness demands we must keep in mind all these relationships. We may think our father is unfair because he will not allow us to go overseas and is never at home for us, unlike our best friend's father. But our father may be working longer hours so he can replace the shonky family car and pay for my sister's expensive orthodontic work. He has a responsibility towards the whole family, and if he was to give me all I think I deserve it could be unfair to the family as a whole.

What is true of a family is also true of society, it is composed of a network of relationships on which the good of each person depends. We do not provide our own electricity or gas. We do not invent or fix our own computers. We do not defend our own property, teach ourselves, make up our own netball teams, or build our own roads and railway lines. Our lives depend on other people and on the trust, we can place in them to respect us.

So, fairness depends on a network of respect and fairness throughout the whole of society. If we are to have a fair society, we ourselves must be fair to the people whom we do not see but on whom we depend. It would be unfair of us to avoid paying our fare on trains. It is unfair for corporations to avoid paying taxes, in order to pay shareholders and their chief executives more. It is unfair for governments to allow the pollution of water sources on which future generations of people will depend.

A fair society is one in which the dignity of each human being, and especially the most vulnerable people, is respected. Fairness demands that everyone in society can live decently, and that people who are disadvantaged are not penalised. That is the responsibility of families, hospitals and schools. In a modern society where to live decently depends on access to many public services, it is the responsibility of the government to direct its resources effectively to care for the most vulnerable.

Fairness begins by being about me and what people owe me. But it grows to include what we owe one another in a family, and eventually to what we owe to each human being in society, now and in the future. *'It's not fair'* may begin as a self-centred cry. It can grow into cry on behalf of other people who are neglected.

STAFFING MATTERS

This week we welcomed to the College **Christina Fahy** in the position of Administration Assistant - Workplace Learning. We congratulate and wish her well on her appointment.

CONDOLENCES

This week we learnt of the passing of the grandmothers of Sean Bull (Year 12) and also Josephine (Year 4) and Makeila (Year 1) Nyaanga. As a community we extend our condolences and prayerful support to the Bull and Nyaanga families on their respective losses during this sad and difficult time.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

With regards and best wishes.

Mr Geoff Mills, Principal

Chaplain's Reflection

MARY, OUR MOTHER

May is the month dedicated to Mary, the Mother of Jesus and our Mother. It is also when we celebrate Mothers' Day. From early in the life of the Church, Mary has held an important place and devotion in the heart of all the faithful. The Rosary is a wonderful sequence of prayers to Mary that consists of the *Hail Mary* and *The Lord's Prayer* reflecting on the principal events of our salvation.

Pope Francis says: "I invite you to pray the rosary, and to carry it in your hands or in your pockets. The recitation of the rosary is the most beautiful prayer we can offer to the Virgin Mary; it is a contemplation on the stages of the life of Jesus the Saviour with his Mother Mary and is a weapon that protects us from evils and temptations. Even today, in this time of pandemic, it is necessary to hold the rosary in our hands, praying for us, for our loved ones and for all people. In some evenings we can feel useless and lonely. It is then that prayer will come and knock on the door of our hearts. And even if we have done something wrong, or if we feel threatened and frightened, when we return before God with prayer, serenity and peace will return as if by miracle."

We can pray to Mary with confidence that she will listen and intercede for us. Jesus would not refuse any request that is in God's will, presented by his own Mother whom He loves so tenderly.

Happy Mother's Day to all our mothers!

Fr Jesus Bello
College Chaplin, Duncan Campus

Middle School News

MOTHER'S DAY LITURGY AND MORNING TEA

The date for the Mothers and Grandmothers' Liturgy and Morning Tea is **Wednesday 30 June**. The **Trybooking** code is **https://www.trybooking.com/BQFIL**.

There will be no need to rebook if you have already done so, as the system will automatically change the date for your booking. Bookings should be made in your child's name. The website will remain open until Friday 25 June.

NAPLAN ONLINE SCHEDULE

NAPLAN Testing for Years 7 & 9 begins next week. Students must ensure their computers are fully charged, in good working order and they have headphones available. The NAPLAN Lockdown browser must be uploaded onto their computer

NAPLAN ONLINE Year 9
Please note the schedule for the NAPLAN ONLINE Testing.

YEAR	Tuesday 11 May	Wednesday 12 May	Thursday 13 May	Friday 14 May	Monday 17 May	Wednesday 19 May	Thursday 20 April
9	Reading	Writing	Writing Catch Up	Language Conventions		Numeracy	Catch up

NAPLAN ONLINE YEAR 7
Please note the schedule for the NAPLAN ONLINE Testing.

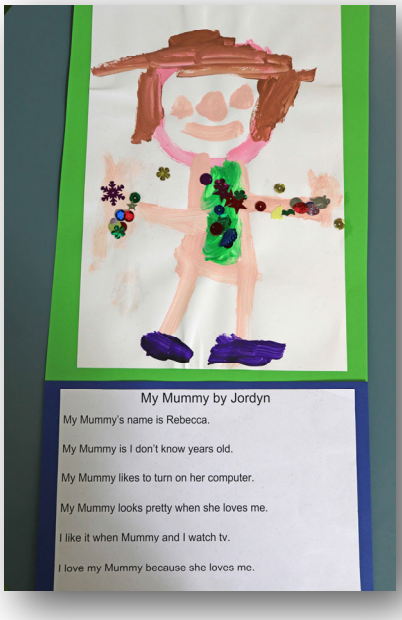
YEAR	Tuesday 11 May	Wednesday 12 May	Thursday 13 May	Friday 14 May	Monday 17 May	Wednesday 19 May	Thursday 20 April
7	Reading	Writing	Writing Catch Up		Language Conventions	Numeracy	Catch up

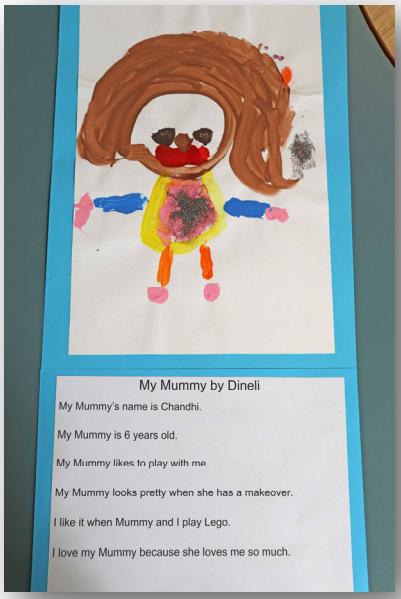
Students only have a two day window to undertake the NAPLAN Writing Test.

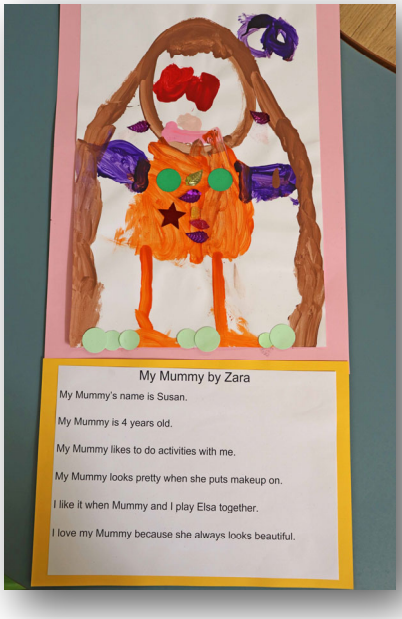
Mr Pauline Bourke
Head of Middle School

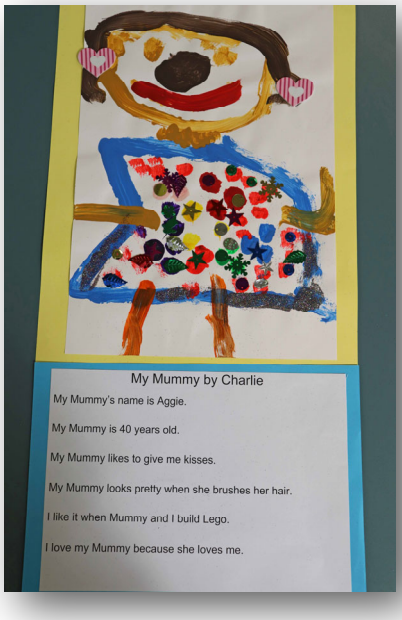
Mother's Day Posters

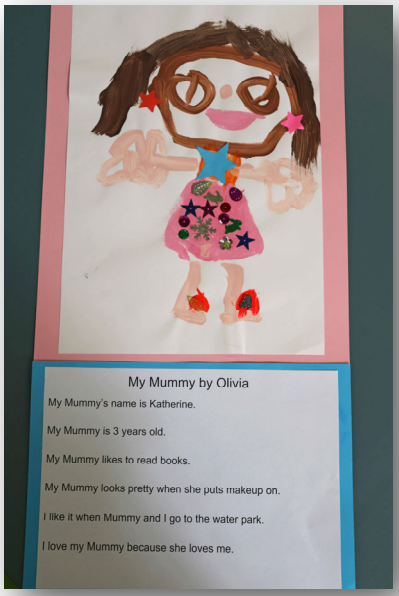
Students in Kindy Grey have created gorgeous posters about their mums and in celebration of Mother's Day, here are a few:

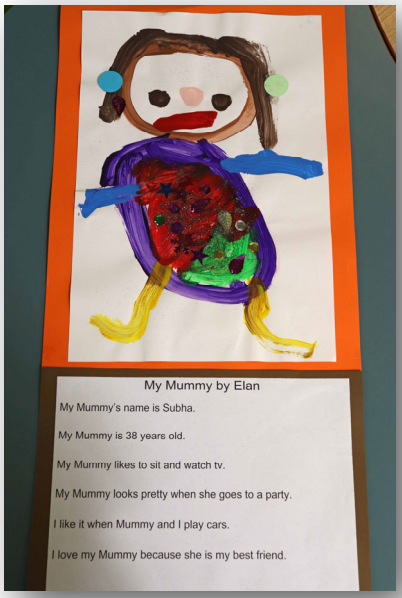


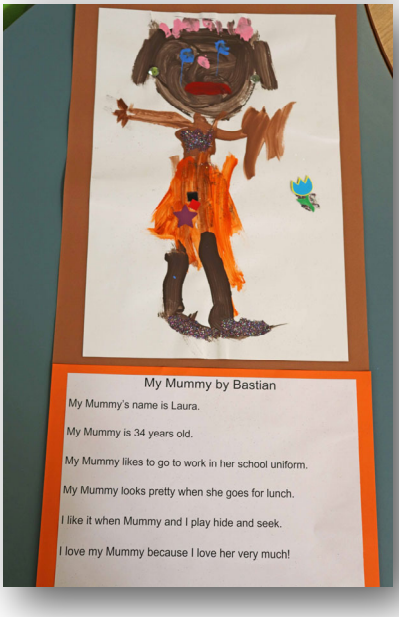


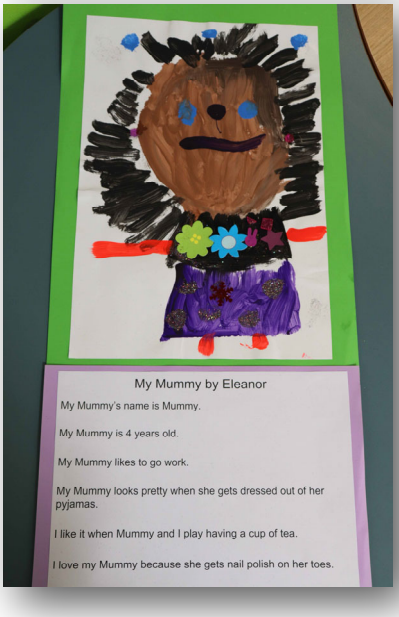












Junior School News

AUSSIE OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to Trinity Doulis (6R) who was announced as the Aussie of the Month for April.

Trinity is described by her teacher, Mr Andrews, as a person who always smiles and can often be seen laughing and sharing a joke with her peers. She will often put the needs of another student before her own, demonstrating her ability to model leadership qualities. Trinity is respectful and always displays good manners and behaviour. She is self-motivated and will give 100% effort in everything she does, showcasing her desire to strive to challenge herself in order to improve. Trinity has a positive attitude and is fair and generous when playing with her peers. A very worthy recipient for the Aussie of the Month award. Well done Trinity!

Mrs Cathy Armstrong, Assistant Head of Junior School

Cultural Playgroup - Starts Next Week!

Where: Conference Room, Duncan Campus,
When: Thursdays, 13 and 20 May
Time: 11.45am-1.00pm
Cost: FREE

The Year 12 CFC class will be taking the participants on a 'trip around the world'.

No need to RSVP, just turn up. Refreshments and nibbles will be provided for parents.

Mrs Carol Farson, Teacher

Friends of Frayne

DUNCAN CAMPUS

We wrapped up our support of the Inter Cluster Cross Country this week and it's been so much fun seeing the different year groups run. We were so happy to have been able to be there to hand out the post run refreshments. Big thank you to all our fabulous helpers: Sandy Smith, Jo Brabin, Miho Keely, Sabrina Hemingway, Tricia Green, Carmela and Naz Zaffino, Karen Martin, Marnie Doulis, Leonie McGuire, Marianna Stirling, Maria Nicolosi and Jacqueline L Hkawnnau.

If you would like to help out turning a few sausages or cutting a few buns, let us know as the Cluster Athletics Carnival is happening on 18 June and we'd love your help.

BALMORAL CAMPUS

THE DISCO!!!! ONE WEEK TO GO!! We hope you have polished off your dancing shoes and got your fluro gear ready!

Tickets sales close on Wednesday 12 May at 5pm. There are no cash sales on the night so please make sure you order your sausage sizzle and drink at the same time as your entry ticket. Click here to purchase now: **https://www.trybooking.com/BQTHV**

We also need a few more parent volunteers to assist with the BBQ. If you can help, please email friendsoffrayne@ufcc.wa.edu.au

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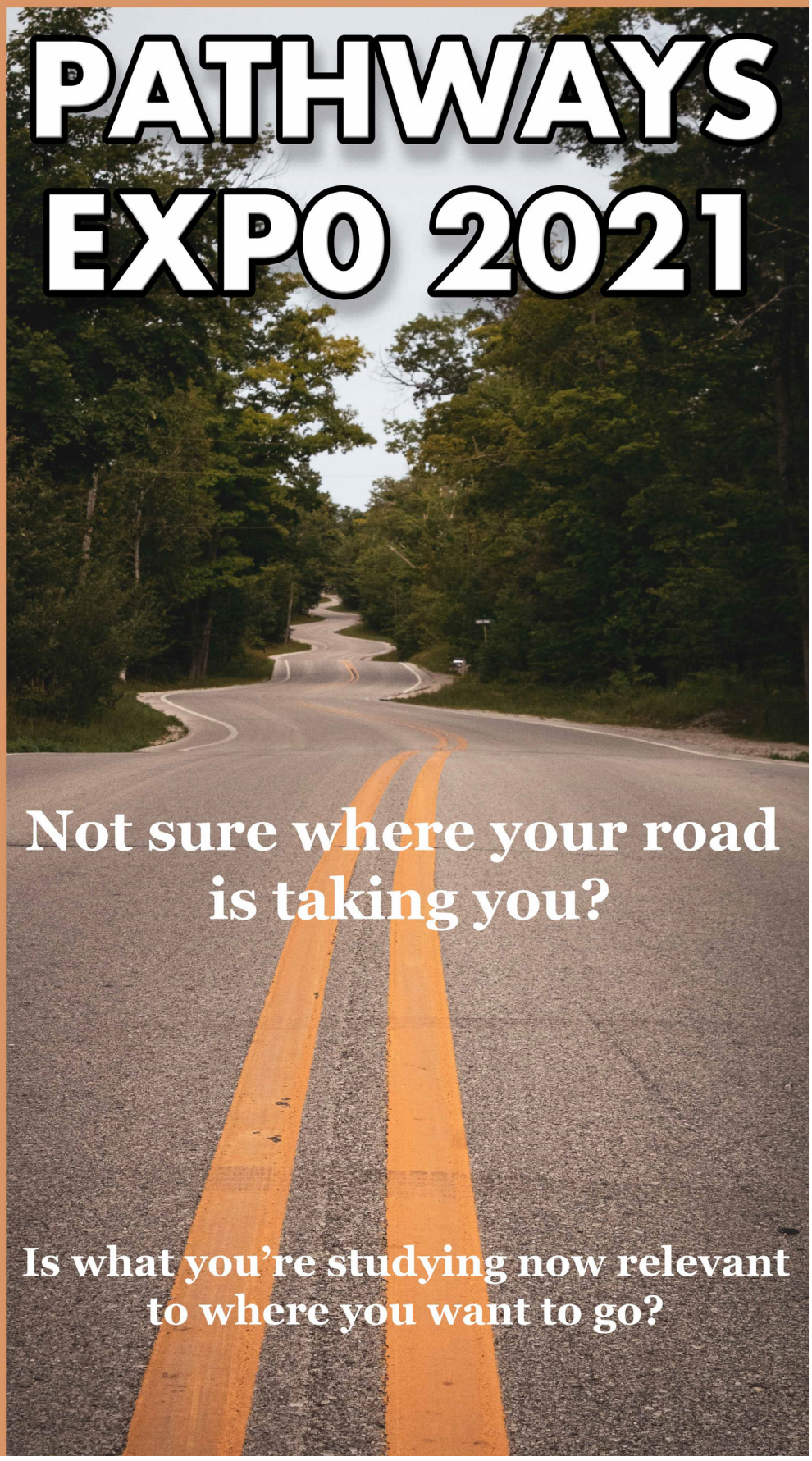
DISPLAYS AND TALKS FROM:

- All WA Universities
- TAFE
- Defence Forces
- Private Colleges
- Other Industries



All students and parents welcome!

THURSDAY 20TH MAY

3:00PM TO 6:00PM

DUNCAN STREET GYMNASIUM

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Are You Interested?

Talking about Consent: Workshop for parents of primary-aged kids

Join Kayelene Kerr from eSafeKids for a workshop designed to inspire and support parents with practical strategies and conversation starters surrounding the topic of consent and body safety.

When: Wednesday, 19 May 2021, 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM
Where: Victoria Park Library, Sussex St, East Victoria Park
Cost: $3
Bookings: Essential at https://www.victoriapark.wa.gov.au/Events-and-activities/Talking-about-Consent-Workshop-for-parents-of-primary-aged-kids

About Kaylene Kerr
Kayelene Kerr is recognised as one of Western Australia's most experienced specialist providers of Body Safety, Cyber Safety and Pornography education workshops. Kayelene is passionate about the prevention of child abuse, sexual exploitation and sexual violence, drawing on over 24 years' experience of study and law enforcement, investigating sexual crimes, including technology facilitated crimes. Kayelene delivers engaging and sought after workshops to educate, equip and empower children and young people, and to help support parents, carers, educators and other professionals. Kayelene believes protecting children from harm is a shared responsibility and she aims to inspire the trusted adults in children's lives to tackle sometimes challenging topics.

For other activities being held across the week, visit www.victoriapark.wa.gov.au/familiesweek